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COUNCIL

Many Petitions Considered-Bills Af lowed-Treasurer's Report Made

The city council met Thursday in regular session. The minutes of the session and discussed the sewer quesregular meetings of Dec. 5 and 6 were approved as read.

A petition for a new sidewalk on the north side of lots 7 and 8, block 3, and lots 7 and 8 block 4, Bunnell's addition, signed by A. A. Bennett and 13 others was referred to the Street and Alley committee.

The petition from Harry Nobbitt to be released from jail was read and on motion he was ordered out.

A petition from T. T. Anderson and others to have the liceuse charged shows at the opera house reduced was to revise ordinance No. 300, tition to repeal section 58 of the same ordinance was referred to the same wagon. The petition was signed by seventeen local dealers.

The application of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Terrell for gas from the city gas line was referred to a committee.

The report of the city treasurer for the quarter ending December 15 was

read and filed. The clerk reported dog tax collected

\$100; license tax \$34.83. The report of the Water and Light Superintendent was referred to auditing committee.

The committee reported favorably on allowing the petition of the police for fees for arrests made, the salary to be \$30 instead of \$40.

The superintendent was instructed Committee for expense and breakage from putting lights in tent.

Fire chief Canatsey reported about the sale of the old chemical engine and apparatus for which offers have been made. No action was taken, the council preferring to station it in East educated and in every way preposess Iola if a volunteer company is organized out there.

A note of thanks from the K. C. Kansas Commercial Club was read occasional +prec. The sprees inand filed.

A letter from Burns & McDonnell in regard to defective water heaters at power plant and concerning a sewer under a guarantee and the makers can have land Ralph McDowell was minus a it has a local knowledge that would to begin the work at once.

A communication from the Kansas Municipal League says the next meeting will be held at Wichita January 22, 1902, and asking lola to send a representative.

until a special meeting to be called for the purpose.

F. V. Crouch submitted plans for a west corner of the park. The mayor Pepsin Syrup Co., Manticello, M., of appointed Robinson, Walker and C. B. Spencer. Contant a committee to confer with Mr. Crouch about a site for the build-

up an ordinance fixing the police salaries and commissions. It is said the police force threaten to resign.

The city engineer was asked to submit an estimate of cost of extending water mains on First and Lincoln streets, and the clerk was instructed Hard to do housework with an aching to advertise for bids for laying same.

Bills were knowed as follows:
D E Fowler, salary 550
Campbell & Burrell, mdse
E M. Repd. supplies 41
Scholl & Haird, hardware 7
H. Shapel, smithing a
W. H. Terrent, advice 75
Iola Hrick Co., brick 87
Crane & Co., supplies
T. E. Franciscopin Photo District
S. Colchensky, mase
Iola Record, printing 16
W. L. Allison, expense 7
J. L. Thompson, labor 9
W. H. Hoke, "
Wm. Cramwell, "
F. S. Canausey, fire wages 20
F. P. McClelland, labor 10
B. H. and E. E. Brown, labor 27
H R Kent, teaming 2
The bill of C. S. Ritter for filli
ditch in front of his house, \$3.75, w

referred to street commissioner. Bill that the remedy is up to the representa- the captain the distribution of the of K. C. Plumbing Co., referred to tions made for it." water Superintendent.

MONDAY NIGHT'S SESSION

A letter from J. Thompson concerning the appeal in the supreme court over Iola's occupation tax, carried up by certain business men, asked to

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have the papers sent him. The city attorney was instructed to answer the letter and find out the probable fee to be charged.

The water and light committee reported that they had employed D. E. Fowler as assistant at the water and light plant at \$50 a month.

The matter of specifications and estimates for extending the water mains was referred to the city attorney and given power to act.

The council then went into executive tion.

It was decided to write Mr. McDontime as a drive way by him.

His Sixth Quail.

So much anxious interest has been manifested by many RESISTER readers as to how Walter Hull is getting along with his quail eating contract that this paper has arranged at great referred to a committee to be appointed expense to receive daily reports of the condition of the combatants.

Last evening Hull ate his sixth quail. The bird was served on toast long as possible, then the bones were gnawed. The first sign of weakening is expected to be a refusal to gnaw the bones. Doc Chastain stays close by to compel this part of the contract being fulfilled, and to cheer up the contestant he has loaded up with several hundred tales of how people became deathly sick on the twentieth quail \$49.17; minor licenses \$90.50; sundry and how a man who had bet \$100 on collections \$103.05; sale cemetery lots the deal had to give up on the twentyninth quail.

The pulse of the aspiring record breaker remains normal, his color good and he professes still to enjoy the food.

The Exceptional Printer

They say that there is an exception that proves every rule. That being to collect from the Masonic Carnival true the REGISTER has discovered the exception that proves that the other Iola printers are gentlemen and scholars. And there is other proof besides this exception tending to the same conclusion.

One Iola printer went wrong. good-looking, well-mannered, wellsing young man, he fell as victims to the drink habit. At first it was an creased in number and duration and finally prevented his doing his work, He owed bills and his necessities seem finally to have driven him to crime.

Shorty Webber missed a kodnik system was read and filed. It says about the time this printer left town, be made to repair or replace them. In the matter of sewers the firm notes that print shop over night. Both these articles turned up in the possession of enable it to save Iola several hundred dollars in sewer plans and would like to begin the work at once.

a pawn broker and he stated that the above-mentioned printer pawned thum. In one case besides the theft, a charge of house breaking could be brought.

It is a mighty sorry story.

Free for the Asking. Our booklet "Told by: a Doctor," a discussion of the diseases of the diges-Action on sewer system was deferred tive tract, and testimonials of hundreds who have been cured of constipation, dyspepsia and stomach troubles by the use of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup

og. The city attorney was asked to draw IF WOMEN ONLY KNEW

What a Heap of Happiness It Would Bring to Iola Homes.

back.

Hours of misery at leisure or at work, If women only knew the cause; Backache pains come from sick kid-

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at least six years and while they lasted to say the least they were exceedingly annoying. When suffering from one 21 store for Doan's Kidney Pills and Christmas tree. No effort was made as From the benefits received I believe after a few appropriate remarks by

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The Jolly Fat Friend of the Children Was Here

SEEN AT SEVERAL CHURCHES

Had a Gift for Everybody and the Children Were a Show to Watch

Christmas eve comes but once a year, but it is well worth waiting for of Christ. A prayer and a hymn and on First, Lincoln and Douglas streets especially if you are under fifteen then Pearl Keck recited a laughable years old and the cold, wicked world little poem. Leona Gravatt, Paul water committee, the committee being hasn't dissolved your illusions. Welmer, Ruth Gravatt then recited Santa Claus, the real, genuine old and then the school was called up by Saint Nick, comes to town then and clasess and the sacks of nuts and canmay be seen in the fleshatthechurches. dy distributed. It was fun to see the You quiver with expectation and tangle-haired youngsters crowd for shiver with delight and your breath place before the distribution stand, ald to appear before the council at acts funny and your fingers fidget, and it was a pleasure to the older next meeting and discuss the strip of Oh! but it's fun. It makes no differ- folks to see the little ones' engerness land at the west end of the cemetery ence if his voice has a familiar ring to share in the good cheer, belonging to it, but used for some or that he seems to have an impediment in his speech and otherwise bears a resemblence to common men, he is Santa Claus-and there's only one Santa Claus.

that won terful creature.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The church was a great deal too the whole. small that right especially the front eager eyed listle children full of ex- recitations by individuals and by pectation. The room was tastily classes and a number of songs by the decorated with wreaths of evergreen different classes. The numbers ren-Child" by eight little girls, four bearing wreaths of evergreen and four carrying stars. After the program classes marched around in front of the children were made hilarious by the tree in turn and each scholar rethe appearance of Santa Claus who ceived a box of candy and an orange. distributed oranges and sacks of candy very generously. Addat Ewing im- had been provided but it melted away personated Santa

UNITED PRETHREN CHURCHA

A beauviful fireplace and chimney was the centerplece at this place. On and recitations telling the story that is so old yet ever new. After the program Santa Claus made his appearnace and gladdened the bearts of the little ones by distributing the presents, candy, popular, peanuts, sec. Eart Adams acted the part of Santa-Claus to perfection.

CHIESE SEPORMES A very beautiful, decoused tree eacied with smalls of randy stood in the center of the costrum.

Rev. Shuey being absent Mr. E. C. Eemsburg conducted the sorvices.

The services opened with a song by the school followed by recirations of Sunday School Scholars and solo by Miss Grace Memison accompanied by Miss Marie Shury. Responsive roading followed by song. Questions and answers followed by song by primary department. A joint recitation by four scholars, Song by school. Recitation by an intermediate scholar. Song waiting room for electric line in south Pepsin. If interested, write today to by Primary department. Individual recitations by Primary Department after which the tree was lighted and the treat distributed. Attendance was about fifty.

presents for the children and the the Lanyons began to lease gas lands treats of the Sunday scaool ware hung at Neodesha, for the purpose of enon the walls of the fairy land in a gaging in the smelting businers for very attractive manner especially to themselves, and their final determination of treats a program, was rendered there will always be competition in the which was very creditable to the children and their tanchers. Each of the twelve classes took part and the entertainment which lasted for an hour was thoroughly enjoyed by all purifier, into new homes, we will send present. The teachers of each class Mrs. D. Fisher, of 200 south Syca- had prowided presents for each of more street, says: "After every cold their scholars and the "blessed in-I contracted or after every over fants" went home with their arms full pimples, festering cruption, boils, ecevertion, my back ached just across of cardy, oranges and such things zema, itching skin or blood humors exertion, my back ached just across of cardy, oranges and such things the loins. These attacks occurred for which make them wish Christmas came oftener.

SALVATION ARMY HALL.

At the Salvation Army Hall on the I went to C. B. Spencer & Co,'s drug north side there was the old fashioned commenced a course of the treatment. to have an elaborate program and treats consisting of oranges and candies took place. All childern who do not attend Sunday school regularly were hunted up by the members of the army and invited to attend the exercises an invitation of which many took advantage. Provision was also

made for those who for various reasons could not be there and a treat will be sent them. It was a delightful oceasion for the children and is only one of the many good acts the salvation army is responsible for.

AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The program at the Christian church vas semewhat demoralized by the absence of Rev. Welmer and several members of the choir and others who had been put on the program. Last year one of the most elaborate programs in town was given at this church and Mr. S. M. Cooper apologized for and explained the change this year,

After several bymns by the voluneer choir, Mrs. Weimer read the passage from St. Luke telling of the birth

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH.

Despite the bad night and the aloppy streets the Methodist church was filled long before time for the program to begin and when the exercises commen-Christmas eve at the Iola churches ced the gallery was crowded and the Santa Claus appeared and was seen aisles full of chairs. The evening's by thousands of lola children. It is entertainment was in charge of the a sad day, and a proof that you are Sunday school. A beautiful tree not as good as you once were, when trimmed with Christmas bells, lanterns you can no longer see Santa. The and ornaments stood in the pulpit next best thing is to go and watch the while on either side were piled boxes blessed infants. The reflected light in of candy and oranges. The church committee. Section 58 refers to meat and eaten with a knife and fork as their faces will recall the glories of was decorated with helly and evergreen throughout while palms near the foot of the tree added to the beauty of

The programe was well received part which was jammed full of happy from first to last. It consisted of and flowers, and a hage Christmas dered by the primary department were The people west of the river whose President Considering the Iowan for tree was the center of attraction. A exceptionally well received by the auprogram lasting nearly an hoar was dience. Christmas eve is the child- by the commissioners for the Ft. Scott, rendered. There were songs by the ren's night and they were certainly in Iola & Western railroad contemplate choir and more sangs and recitations their element and did their best. The in the near future wish to show their apby little children. The song by Leo opening number was an anthem by the preciation of the gentlemen's labors by Coffman was especially well rendered, regular church choir. The program as was also the "Szery of the Christ throughout was a Christmas exercise, They feel sure the railroad will rewell gotten up nad well rendered.

Something near 250 pounds of candy like snow in summer before the host of children on hand for their treat.

AT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

At the Catholic church Xmas morn' either side of the fireplace were large at six o'clock High Mass was observtables loaded with presents. There ed, Elev. Father Donohue officiating. was an interesting program of songs The services were attended by a large number of Catholies from lola and Emmboldt.

> Talking of the New Smelter. louin News-Herald

The visit of Dec Lanyon, of Iola, bee 15 caused a rumor to the effeca the manufacture of speiter for them- ness building on it. selves. The report has since been veriiep and the smelter is to be located at Neodesha, Kan. The callroad compan-Lanyon is superintendent of the Lanand it is said that he expects to be relieved when the much talked of smelter combine takes effect shortly after the first of the year. Dee Lanyon is also connected with the works at Iola and both are sons of Josiah Lanyon, of this city, who is general manager of

"infants." Before the distribu- tion to build a smelter is proof that smelting of zine ores.

This Will Interest Many.
To quickly introduce B. B. B. / Botanic Blood Balm), the famous blood absolutely free 10,000 treatments. B. B. quickly cares old ulcers, scroft la, painful swellings, aches or pains in bones or joints, rheumatism, eatarch cating, bleeding, festering sores and even deadly cancer. B. B. B. at drug stores \$1. For free treatment address Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. cine sent at once prepaid. Describe trouble and free medical advice given until cured. B. B. B. cures the mosdeep seated cases after all else fails B. B. heals every sore and make



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A West Side Kick.

A medal for the commissioners, property was so generously appraised presenting them with a leather medal. ward them but they want to contribute At the close of the program the their share. Such sterling strenous ntegrity ought to be rewarded." If ola only knew the ability of those hree and would put them in charge of the anancial affairs of the city all would be well.

WEST SIDER.

Business Lot \$2,160.

Another sale of business property on the public square has been made that shows a healthy increase in dirt salues in town. Mr. John Vannuys sold his lot on the east side, between the Coffey and Davies lots to a man priced deals ever made here. The Kan., to Joplin, the week of Decem- name of the buyer is not known but it appointment was settled. He said he that the Lanyons are again to engage to early use by erecting a good bust- would disturb Secretary Wilson who

The Shock Still Vibrates. Chanute Times: It is a said Col. les are now interested in the location [sett heard the explosion at Iola the dent has shown that precedent does and throughthat source the News-Her- other night and being suddenly awak- not weigh heavily with him and it is ald learned of the new smelter last aned from deep slumber in which he week, but was obliged to withhold the was dreaming of oil wells, rillions, etc. select the entire cabinet from Iowa if news for various reasons. The new he thought the shock must have been he felt so inclined. With the excepsmelter will be built by E. V. Lanyon caused by a sudden outburst of oil in tion of possibly Root, the selection of and Dee Lanyon, of Iola, and William his lamous well down on the farm and Shaw is a complete surprise to the Lanyon, Jr., of Pittsburg. E. V. bounced out of bed, and hastily dress- cabinet. ing, he hitched up his high stepper you Zine company's works at Iola, and drove to the well to find only the usual flow of oil.

Says He Was Tortured.

"I suffered such pain from corns I could hardly walk," writes H. Rob-Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely Acts like magic of cured them. 15

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SHAW TO SUCCEEP GAGE

the Treasury Portfolio.

Washington, Dec. 23-President Roosevelt is considering Governor Leslie M. Shaw of Iowa in connection with the Treasury portfolio to succeed Secretary Gage. The report was even current here this afternoon that the President had actually tendered the position to Governor Shaw, but at the White house no confirmation of the latter report could be obtained. By Scripps-McRae Press Association

Washington, Dec. 24-Notwithstanding that Governor Shaw of Iowa denied last night that the secretaryship had been tendered him, his anpearance here to talk the matter over has created no surprise.

After the cabinet meeting today Secretary Gage said that if Shaw accepted the place, he could take charge at any time. "My resignation will be from Yates Center for \$2,160. This is on hand if he wants to take the place at the rate of \$30 per front foot and January 1st, or February or March." makes the sale one of the highest Another cabinet member expressed the opinion that the matter of Shaw's seems probable that he will put the lot did not think that the appointment is also from lowa.

While the precendent is against two men from the same state holding cabinet places simultaneously, the presi-

Saw Death Near.

"It often made my heart ache," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn., "to hear my wife cough until it seemed her weak and sore lungs inson, Hillsborough, Ills., "but would collapse. Good doctors said she was so far gone with Consumption that no medicine or earthly help could The Christmas exercises at the Bapist church this year cansisted of a Fairy Land! and two trees. The of gas smelters was first talked of that anteed for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and all Throat and Lung diseases. 50c and \$1.00 at Evans Bros. Trial bottles free.

ALLEN COUNTY HAS CASH IN THE BANK

The Seven Banks of Allen County Show Individual Deposits of \$823,338.68 -A Gain of \$102,257.01 Since February

Bank	Capital	Deposits February	Deposits October	Deposits December	Loans October	Loans December
Northrup	850,000	\$294,000 86	8297,003 55	\$335,031 27	8110,686 91	8127.127 25
Bowlus	80,000	248,496 20	278,063-03	261,450 80	159,011 78	128,001 00
Humboldt	10,000	77,648 33	111.828-28	110,682 28	66,785 52	64,056,42
Savonburg	5,000	31,581 70	37,826 50	# 86,015 38	16,132.52	29,550 27
Moran	5,000	213,648 60	37,046 84	82,875.73	14,263 73	31,697.88
La Harpe	8,500	22,648-22	30,414-16	28,549 96	24,795 62	20,239 63
Elsmore	6.0	12.663 17	25,627 42	18.027 27	14,404 28	37,815 37
Totals		8720,781 07	798,719 72	821,005 68	8376,980 24	198.277 37